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Re Wetland Impacts Associated with Stream Gaging Stations

Dear Mr Slaten

The enclosed March 3, 1993, letter from EPA to DOE states EPA's approval of the installation of temporary gaging stations on Woman and Walnut Creeks in order to collect flow data necessary for, among other things, the remedial investigations of Operable Units 5 and 6 The letter states that the stations shall not remain in place for more than one your from the time of installation

It has now been well over a year since the installation. On a number of occasions, EPA representatives were told that removal of the flumes was imminent and that plans were in place for a project to mitigate wetland impacts associated with installation of permanent monitoring stations. To our knowledge, neither has happened

Please respond by December 1, 1994, by providing the following information

- 1 What is the status of the temporary flumes? Are they still in place? When will they be removed?
- 2 What is the status of the wetland mitigation project?

3 When will compliance with the conditions stated in our March 3, 1993, letter be achieved?

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Sincerely,

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